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The average daily circulation of the Barre Daily Times for the week ending Saturday was

3,665

copies, the largest paid circulation of any daily paper in this section.

It is deeply significant that a Montpelier merchant should be advertising "tanks."

Baron Komura is ill just at present, and can't start for Japan right off. Perhaps it is just as well.

With the President absent from the Centennial celebration at Montpelier there will be quite a gap, but the festivities will go on just the same. The arrangements promise to be attractive, with a celebration worthy of the occasion.

The plunge of the car from the New York elevated railroad was the first instance of the kind in 34 years, but it is not the first time that passengers have conjured up in their minds a picture of a terrible fatality should the vehicles in which they were travelling jump the guard at the side.

An exchange mentions the fact that a base ball pitcher who was once getting \$5,000 a season is now grubbing for \$1.50 per day. Had it not been for the usual habits of the professional ball players he might have been bossing his own \$1.50 men. They are too apt to be free with their money.

THE CHANCE FOR ERROR.

Provided that the story sent out from North Dakota and printed in yesterday's papers, regarding the confession of a murderer that an innocent man was hanged for his crime, is true, there is furnished to us a terrible object lesson. The story lacks the stamp of certainty to make it a most powerful wedge against capital punishment, but it bears the indications of being true. A man weighed down by remorse for a crime committed thirty years before breaks down and decides to end a miserable existence. He writes a letter confessing that he murdered a young woman in Ohio, a crime for which a tramp was hanged in the Youngstown, Ohio, jail. The tramp, by a fortuitous circumstance, was in the neighborhood of the place where the murder was committed. Circumstantial evidence pointed toward him as the probable murderer. He was arrested on the strength of the circumstance, and he was convicted on circumstantial evidence. He was hanged on no better pretext than the evidence which points toward a man as the probable murderer. A man innocent of the crime paid the penalty for another's crime. The real murderer went free. Finally the pangs of remorse became so compelling that he was forced to make a confession, providing immediately, however, that he should place himself beyond the pale of the law.

The story, of course, lacks substantiation, it lacks proof that the alleged confession was not the product of a disordered brain, that it was not the act of a sensation-monger. But the murder was committed, and the tramp was hanged for the murder. So much is known to be true. Whether or not there is foundation for the remainder of the story is left to judge for himself. But the indications are that the tardily made confession is not a hoax.

New Business!

This Bank solicits new accounts because it is capable of rendering the BEST banking service and accommodation, and because it offers that large measure of SECURITY that appeals to the prudent and conservative people of the community.

We are constantly opening NEW ACCOUNTS. We would like to open one in your name.

Accounts received subject to check.

Interest paid on Savings Accounts.

Capital \$75,000.00
Surplus \$18,600.00

Granite

SAVINGS BANK
AND TRUST COMPANY,
BARRE, VERMONT.



The Top Coat of last season has had to take to the woods to conceal its shortcomings. Here are the finest specimens of the new Fall crop—liberal in length, liberal in cloth, liberal in price. From \$10 to \$24

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F. H. ROGERS & CO.

174 Main Street, Barre, Vt.

and that an innocent man was put to death for a crime, the contemplation of which drove the real murderer to end his miserable existence by his own hand. However, his act of self-destruction could not bring back the life of the innocent man, nor could it in any way make amends for the terrible mistake.

AMUSEMENTS.

Princess Chic Scores at the Opera House—Attractions Coming.

"The Princess Chic," though not a new production, received its first presentation in Barre at the opera house last evening and received a most flattering reception. Edward R. Salter, under whose direction the opera is given this season, has assembled a very competent and even company of singers and comedians who gave a thoroughly enjoyable presentation from beginning to end and won a pronounced success. Barre has not been treated to a better production in a long time. Of the soloists in the cast, Miss Elaine Von Thiele was the most notable. She has a charming soprano voice, and as the Princess, won deserved applause as did also Miss Black as her page. Daisy Howard as Estelle was another pleasing soloist, who sang and danced very prettily with Stephen Stott as Francois. Frank M. Kelly as the duke is the most notable of the male soloists. Jack Henderson and Thomas Van as the comedians kept the audience in a continuous bubble of laughter when they occupied the stage. The topical song for quartette sung by these two and Oren Hooper and Arthur S. Hall, the vagabonds, in the third act, caught the greatest applause of the evening. The work of the chorus was particularly effective.

West's Jubilee Minstrels will appear at the opera house Tuesday evening, Sept. 19.

Howe's Moving Pictures will be shown at the opera house tomorrow evening.

"Under Southern Skies" is an early attraction at the opera house.

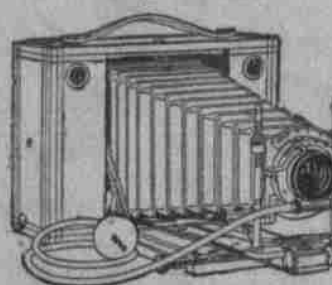
VALUABLE WEDDING PRESENT.

A Gift That Many Brides Would Greatly Appreciate.

It is no wonder that a great many inexperienced wives are terrified at the complex problems of keeping house, cooking suitable and economical dishes and not going beyond the limits of a modest pocketbook. The terrors that confront the inexperienced housekeeper are removed by the Household Department of the Boston Daily Globe. In this hint there is a practical suggestion for a useful wedding present.

The best Boston paper published—The Boston Globe. Have it at your home every day.

NEW STOCK



KODAKS

\$5.00 to \$20.00

BROWNIES

\$1.00 to \$9.00

See the folding Brownie Cameras. Big value for a little money. They make good pictures, too.

RED CROSS PHARMACY
MILES' GRANITE BLOCK.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

THE CLARK FAMILY.

Of Which the Late William Clark Was the Last Surviving Member.

Editor Times: The announcement in your issue of the 5th of the burial of William Clark awakens a reminiscence mood, for he was the last surviving member in this section of a family which has from its earliest history been prominently identified with those interests which make for the highest good of the community and the recollection of such may profitably be recalled.

Francis Clark, Sr., with his wife and two children came to Barre in 1799, the same year in which was organized the church of which members of his family for three generations were elected to the office of deacon. He erected his log house and began clearing the forests for the farm which was tilled by himself and sons for nearly a century. Of the three children born to him one son, William, graduated at Dartmouth, studied theology, and was one of the early missionaries sent by the A. B. F. M. to Turkey. Later he was for several years United States consul at Milan, Italy. One daughter married Stillman Wood, long a prominent figure in the affairs of the town, and whose memory is perpetuated by one of the substantial business blocks which characterized the later growth of Barre. One married Nathaniel Dodge, who bought the "Tanner" French tannery and later carried on the business with Mr. Wood, their

A. A. SMITH & BRO.

Extra Special Announcement!

Hosiery Sale!

To close the remaining lot on hand of the 25c Cashmere Woolen Hose at only

15c

per pair. Come before they are all gone.

Ladies' Rubbers!

We have a large lot of Ladies' Rubbers that we shall close out this week at only

39c

Men's Clothing!

A large lot of high grade fabrics, latest Fall patterns, will be made up by us for the insignificant low price of

\$12.95

You would consider yourself well treated at the custom tailor's price of \$20.00 for this Suit. Workmanship guaranteed. The bargain of the century. Come in and look them over.

A. A. SMITH & BRO.

MEN'S OUTFITTERS
Miles Granite Block,
Barre, - - Vermont

Never Undersold

The Vaughan Store

We Sell Goods Cheaper for Equal Qualities.

Never Undersold

Blankets! Table Linens! Cottons!

To open Fall business with a rush we place on sale for this week Blankets, Table Linen, Linen Towels, Wool Flannel, 36 inch Bleached Cotton and Cotton Diaper at less than market value.

BLANKET SALE.

Two hundred Ten-quarter Grey Blankets. Note the prices: 55c quality for 45c, 59c for 49c, 65c for 55c and 75c for 69c each.

Fifty Ten-quarter White Blankets 65c for 55c 75c for 59c, etc.

LINEN SALE.

Two pieces 64 inch Pure Linen Table Damask, 75c quality for 55c. Two pieces 64-inch of the \$1.00 quality for 65c per yard.

Towels—Twenty dozen Linen Towels, English size, only 23c each.

SALE OF COTTON.

Twenty pieces 36 inch Bleached Cotton, the 9c quality, for this week's sale at only 7c per yard.

Red Star Antiseptic Diaper Cotton, 18, 20, 22 and 24-inches wide, sold this week at the present cost value.

One case of Wool Flannel just received, bought before the advance in price. Pure White Flannel for 25c, 29c, 35c and 48c per yard. Also Blue Mixed, Navy and Red Flannel.

WATCH THIS SPACE FOR SATURDAY'S SALE.

New Coats and Furs!

Ladies' Coats!

If you are a student of style and a fair judge of good tailoring and of quality, we have Coats that will appeal to you—in fact we think we have those that will settle the Coat-buying question in your mind. We have a hundred new ones to select from.

Ladies' Furs!

Furs of this store's kind with this store's prices have made this one of the best Fur-buying places in this vicinity. The new stock is here and your inspection is solicited.



The Perley E. Pope Co.,

(Taplin's Old Store)

Corner Main and State Streets, - - Montpelier, Vermont.

MICHIGAN CANNING PEACHES.

We have a fine lot of Peaches for canning, just in, and the price is only \$1.10 per crate.

Cranberries, two quarts for 25c
Ice Citron, per pound 3
Seed Cucumbers for pickling, per peck 25c
Cabbage per pound 3c
Nice, large Spanish Onions, per pound 5c

H. J. Smith's Cash Market,

(TELEPHONE 37-2)

367 North Main Street, - - Barre, Vermont.

An Advertisement in the Times will bring sure results.

YOU DO NOT

Need any clinker hooks with the famous, genuine Round Oak Heating Stove, for it does not make any clinkers. Just shaking the grate cleans the entire bottom of the fire alike.

This is the double fire pot and cone-center grate with rim discharge.

We are pleased to show this superior feature in the genuine Round Oak and explain why it burns all kinds of fuel satisfactorily.

When a stove becomes the most popular and has the largest sale of any stove known, there are good reasons back of it, and we think before you buy a stove you ought to know them.

We handle Round Oaks because we know they are good—good in workmanship, good in material, and better than all others when you put a fire in and start them to work. They are so different in spite of the fact that the imitations look like them.

To be certain, see the name "Round Oak" on the leg.

C. W. Averill & Co.,
41 No. Main Street, - Barre, Vt.

"Now, Fritz, we will go through the Round Oak shops and you shall see how much care and pains we take to make Round Oak Stoves, Ranges and Furnaces good."

